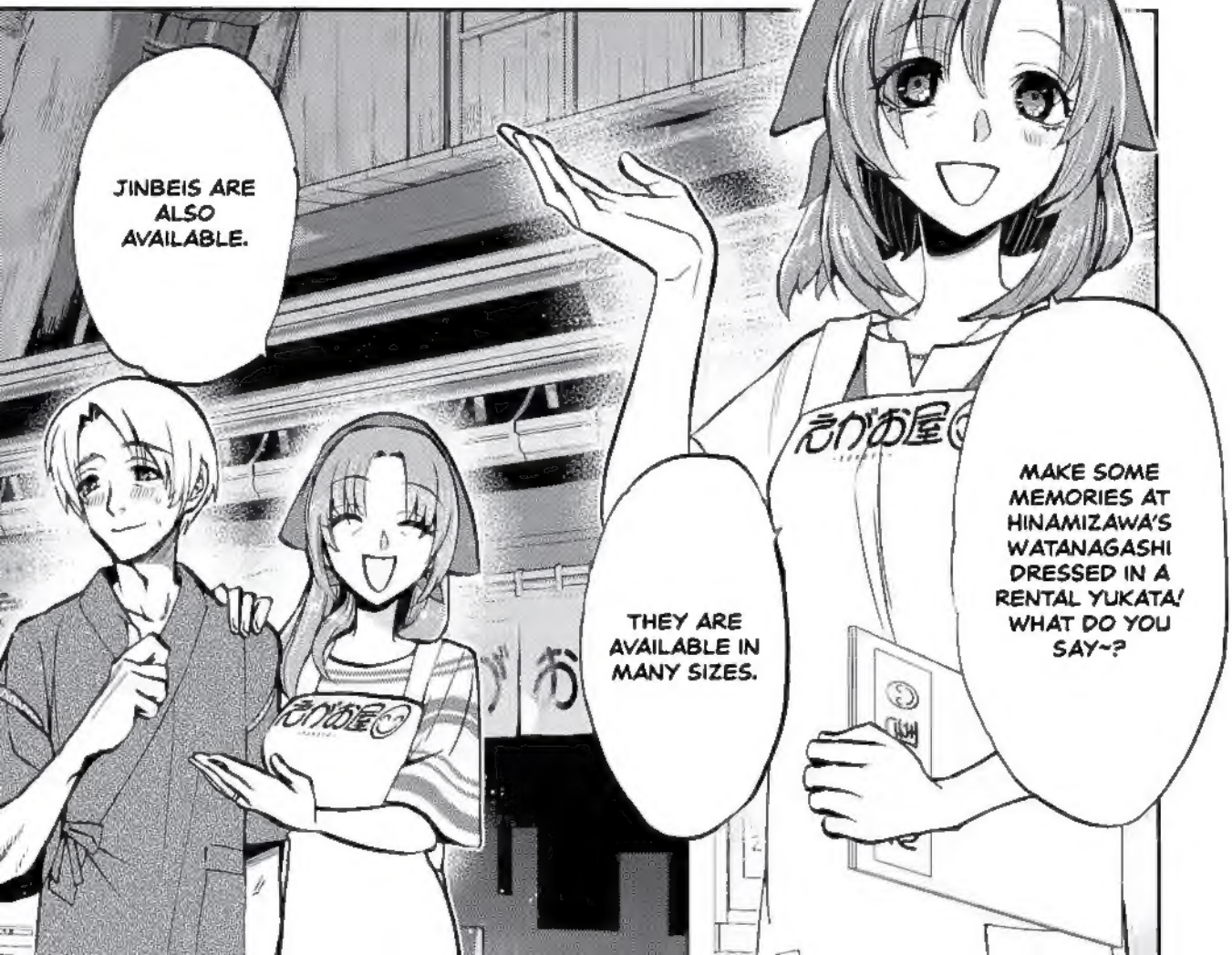
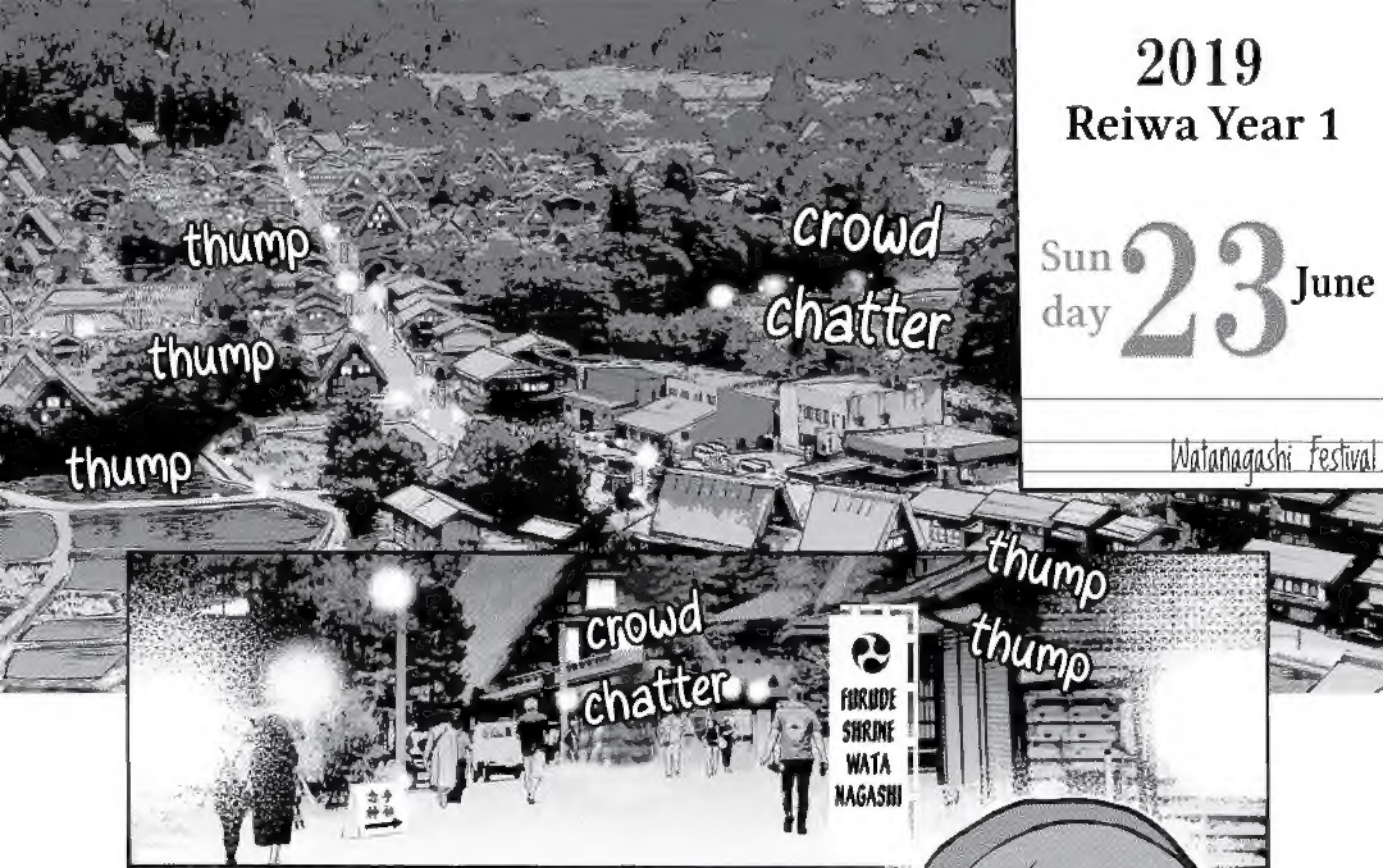


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JINBEIS ARE  
ALSO  
AVAILABLE.

THEY ARE  
AVAILABLE IN  
MANY SIZES.

MAKE SOME  
MEMORIES AT  
HINAMIZAWA'S  
WATANAGASHI  
DRESSED IN A  
RENTAL YUKATA!  
WHAT DO YOU  
SAY~?





YOU'RE NOT  
EVEN LISTENING,  
AUNT SHION.

WE'RE  
HAVING CLUB  
ACTIVITIES  
TODAY, SO IT'S  
IMPORTANT TO  
WEAR  
SOMETHING  
EASY TO MOVE  
AROUND IN.

I STILL  
REMEMBER  
MY FATEFUL  
ENCOUNTER  
WITH  
SATOSHI-KUN...



YOU MIGHT  
EVEN HAVE  
A FATEFUL  
ENCOUNTER  
WITH A  
HANDSOME  
MAN.

TAMAKI AND  
THE OTHERS  
SHOULD WEAR  
YUKATA TOO.

SHOWING  
SOMEONE  
AROUND,  
JUST THE  
TWO OF  
YOU~



I HEARD FROM MOM  
THAT SOME BAD  
CHARACTERS WERE  
PROWLING  
OKINOMIYA LATELY.

THAT LOOK IN  
TAMAKI'S EYES WAS AS  
AMAZING AS ALWAYS!  
PLUS KIHRO WAS ABLE  
TO CALL THEM OUT  
FOR BEING FAKE  
STREAMERS!

MAAN, THE  
BEAUTIFUL  
HINAMIZAWAN  
SPIRIT LIVES  
ON EVEN IN  
THE REIWA  
ERA!

SO, I HEARD  
FROM SIS. YOU  
RAN INTO SOME  
TROUBLEMAKERS  
IN OKINOMIYA  
AND GAVE THEM  
WHAT FOR,  
DIDN'T YOU?



IS  
SOMETHING  
THE MATTER,  
RENA?

HA...  
HAUU...



THAT'S RENA'S  
INTELLIGENCE  
NETWORK FOR  
YOU.

YOU HEAR ALL  
SORTS OF THINGS  
WHILE WORKING  
FOR THE TOWN  
MAGAZINE.

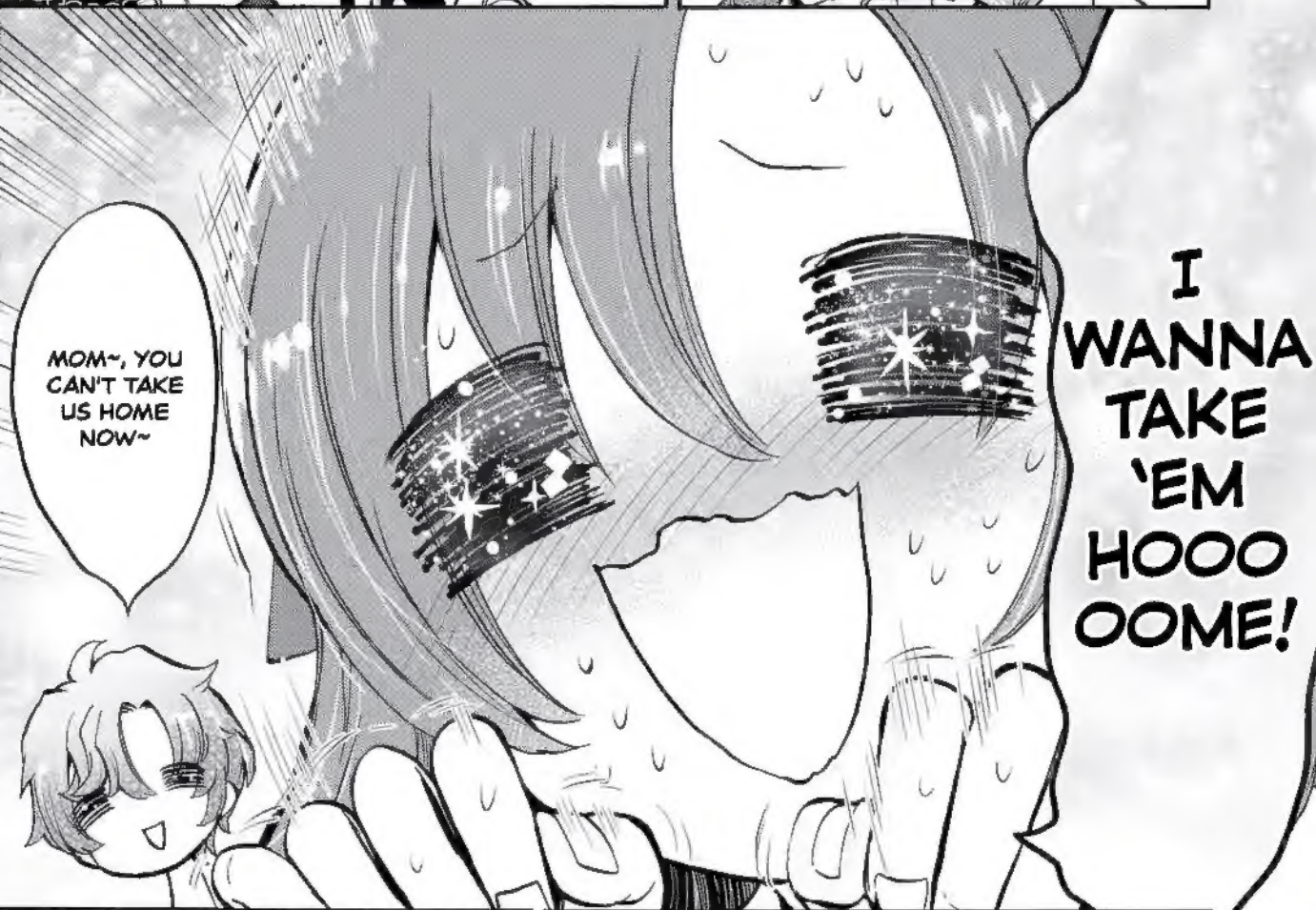




I'M SURE  
EVERYONE  
WOULD LOOK  
KYUTE  
DRESSED IN  
YUKATAS,  
BUT PLAIN  
CLOTHES  
WOULD BE  
KYUTE TOO...  
KYUTE,  
KYUTE...

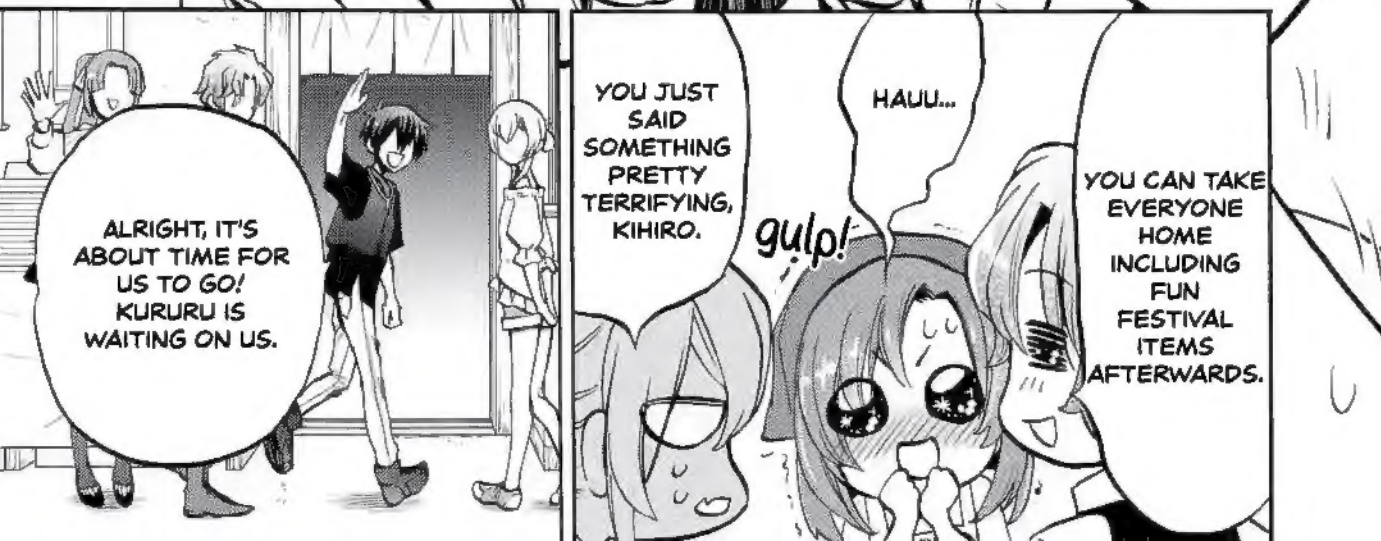
AND  
SHII-CHAN IN  
THAT HELPER  
GETUP, AND  
SATOSHI-KUN  
IN THAT  
JINBEI, SO  
KYUTE...

SATOKO  
AS A  
POSTER  
GIRL IS AS  
KYUTE AS  
EVER.



MOM~, YOU  
CAN'T TAKE  
US HOME  
NOW~

I  
WANNA  
TAKE  
'EM  
HOOO  
OOME!



YOU JUST  
SAID  
SOMETHING  
PRETTY  
TERRIFYING,  
KIHRO.

HAUU...

gulp!

YOU CAN TAKE  
EVERYONE  
HOME  
INCLUDING  
FUN  
FESTIVAL  
ITEMS  
AFTERWARDS.

ALRIGHT, IT'S  
ABOUT TIME FOR  
US TO GO!  
KURURU IS  
WAITING ON US.



WILL  
DOOOO!

WE'RE HEADING  
THERE LATER, BUT  
IF ANYTHING  
HAPPENS BE SURE  
TO CONTACT US  
RIGHT AWAY!

IT'S EASY TO  
GET MIXED UP  
WITH SOMETHING  
WEIRD ON DAYS  
LIKE TODAY, SO  
TAKE CARE!

ENJOY  
YOUR-  
SELVES! THANKS  
FOR  
HELPING  
OUT!



THIS! THIS IS  
IT! MY FIRST  
WATANAGASHI  
FESTIVAL IN  
FIVE YEARS!

IT'S  
PACKED  
WAY  
MORE  
THAN IT  
WAS  
BEFORE,  
HANDS  
DOWN!

KIHIRO, YOU  
MIGHT NEED TO  
KEEP KEITAROU  
ON A LEASH OR  
SOMETHING.

LET'S TRY  
TO STAY  
TOGETHER,  
ALRIGHT?

I WONDER IF MY  
FUTURE HUSBAND  
MIGHT BE HERE  
TOO.





YEP! LET'S HAVE  
A GOOD TIME  
TODAYYY~!

I'M GLAD  
YOU  
CAME!

HEEEY,  
KURURU!



OBVIOUSLY,  
POLARIS  
WOULD BE  
AWAY HAVING  
THEIR OWN  
WEIRD  
GATHERING.

YOU THINK  
POLARIS  
WOULD DO  
SOMETHING  
LIKE  
THAAAT?

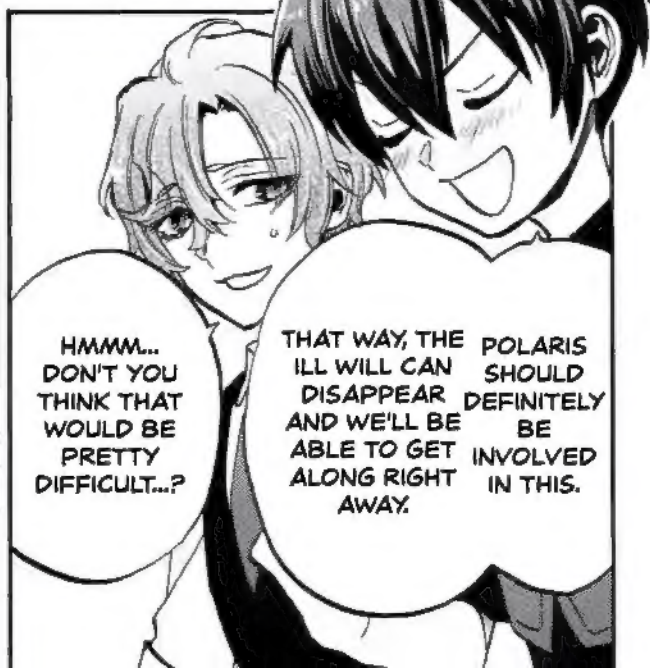
THIS CROWD IS CRAZY  
BIG! YOU THINK THERE  
ARE SOME POLARIS  
FOLKS WHO TOOK AN  
INTEREST IN  
WATANAGASHI AND  
SNUCK IN HERE?



DAILY? YOU  
MEAN JUST  
YESTERDAY?

READY,  
AND...!

RIGHT, NOW  
THAT WE'VE  
GATHERED  
TOGETHER,  
WHY DON'T WE  
SHOW OFF THE  
SKILLS WE'VE  
DEVELOPED  
FROM OUR  
DAILY CLUB  
ACTIVITIES!



HMMM...  
DON'T YOU  
THINK THAT  
WOULD BE  
PRETTY  
DIFFICULT...?

THAT WAY, THE  
ILL WILL CAN  
DISAPPEAR  
AND WE'LL BE  
ABLE TO GET  
ALONG RIGHT  
AWAY.

POLARIS  
SHOULD  
DEFINITELY  
BE  
INVOLVED  
IN THIS.





# Watanagashi Festival Five-Demon Fire Fight!

KAYTA-  
RO IS  
SO  
KYUTE  
WHEN  
HE'S  
BURN-  
ING HIS  
MOUTH.

OH MY, HAVE YOU  
FORGOTTEN,  
KEITAROU~? THE  
TRICK IS TO  
CHOOSE THE  
COLDER ONES.

AAAAH,  
TOO  
HOT?!

FIRST IS THE  
TAKOYAKI  
SPEED-  
EATING  
CONTEST!

NO WAY  
I'LL  
LOSE!





THAT MEANS  
SEEING YOU  
GUYS RUN  
WILD AT THE  
FESTIVAL  
AGAIN, HUH?

COME TO THINK  
OF IT, I DID HEAR  
KEIICHI-KUN WAS  
COMING BACK  
TO HINAMIZAWA,  
HUH?

OH MY, IF  
IT AIN'T  
MAEBARA'S  
BOY!



THIS  
YEAR  
THERE  
ARE  
FIVE OF  
US!

HEH HEH  
HEH...  
TAKE A  
GOOD  
LOOK,  
POPS!

HMM? A  
NEWCOMER?

COME ON  
SENPAI, YOU  
DON'T HAVE TO  
CALL ME SHORT,  
DO YOU?

SHE MAY BE  
SMALL, BUT  
DON'T UNDER-  
ESTIMATE HER.

MY NEW FRIEND,  
KURURU ISSHIKI!  
SHE'S WITH  
POLARIS!

SHE STILL  
PACKS A  
PUNCH!

WELL, YOU  
KNOW...  
BECAUSE  
POLARIS IS...

IS IT  
REALLY  
THAT SUR-  
PRISING?

WITH  
PO-  
LAR-  
IS?

HUH?





WOW~,  
POLARIS  
HUH...



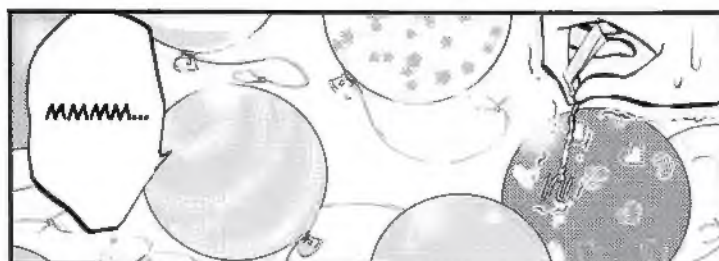
EVEN POLARIS  
HAS INTERESTING  
FOLKS! JUST  
WATCH, I'M GOING  
TO MAKE FRIENDS  
WITH EVERYONE,  
EVEN IN POLARIS!

THIS GIRL  
HERE IS THE  
FIRST OF  
MANY TO  
COME!

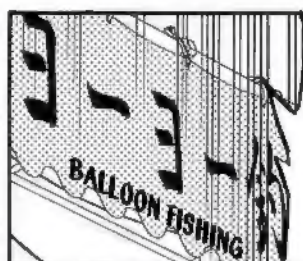


KEITAROU IS CALLING  
ISSHIKI-SAN A FRIEND,  
BUT IT FEELS A LOT  
LIKE AN EXCUSE TO  
GET SOMEONE  
UNFAMILIAR WITH  
CLUB ACTIVITIES IN ON  
OUR GAMES, HUH?

WE'RE GONNA GO  
ON A RAMPAGE  
TODAY, ALL FIVE  
OF US!



MMMM...



HERE'S OUR  
NEXT GAME!  
WHOEVER  
GRABS THE  
MOST WINS!



IF YOU FIRMLY  
TWIST THE  
PAPER STRING,  
THEY'RE EASIER  
TO GRAB.

AAAAH~, I  
WAS SO  
CLOSE!

drop  
XO

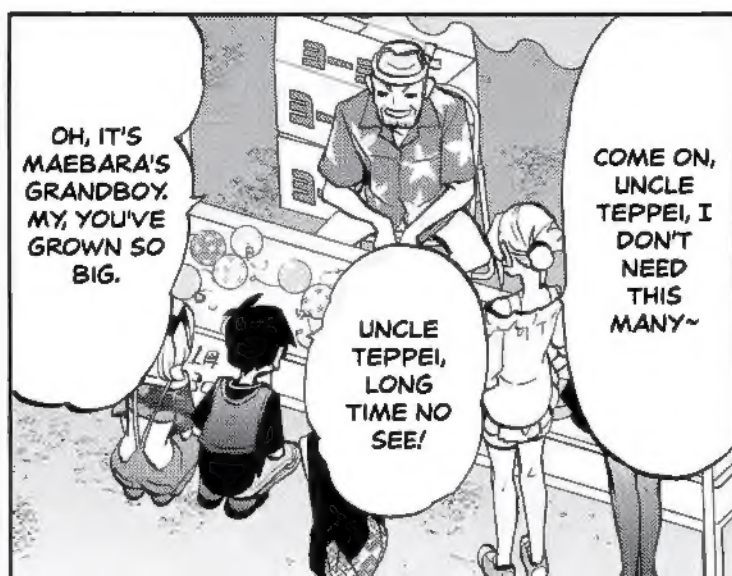


# I WANNA TAKE THEM HOME...

AHAHAHA, I'M IN TROUBLE HERE, I CAN'T CATCH ANYTHING AT ALL.

THE WANYAN BALLOONS ARE SO KYUTE~

SENPAI, OH NO~! YOU'RE GETTING YOUR BALLOONS TANGLED UP WITH MINEEEE?!











SERIOUSLY SEEMS  
LIKE HE HAS THE  
ENERGY TO  
INTRODUCE KURURU  
TO EVERYONE AT  
THE FESTIVAL. I  
DUNNO THOUGH.



KEITAROU  
SEEMS  
TO BE  
ENJOYING  
HIMSELF.



THAT'S  
WHAT I  
WAS  
THINKING

THAT'S  
A LIE!



hehehe

IF I'M BEING  
HONEST, I  
WANTED IT TO  
JUST BE THE  
FOUR OF US,  
TOO~

SAKIKO!



COME ON,  
SIS SAKI.

I DO THINK  
SHE'S A FUN  
GIRL, BUT I  
JUST CAN'T  
STAND  
POLARIS.



I WISH WE  
CAME JUST THE  
FOUR OF US...

OR MAYBE... I  
WISH I CAME  
WITH KAYTARO,  
JUST THE TWO  
OF US...









BUT A WHOLE  
LOT OF  
YOUNGSTERS  
CAME OUT.

TURNING THIS  
PLACE INTO A  
TOURIST  
DESTINATION  
IS GOING  
WELL!

I WAS  
WONDERING  
HOW THINGS  
WOULD GO  
SINCE THAT  
GHOST TOWN  
BUSINESS  
CAME UP...

SEEMS LIKE  
THE FESTIVAL  
OPENED  
WITHOUT  
INCIDENT  
AGAIN THIS  
YEAR.

MAN, I'M  
BEAT.



...HAAH...

...  
POLARIS,  
HUH...?

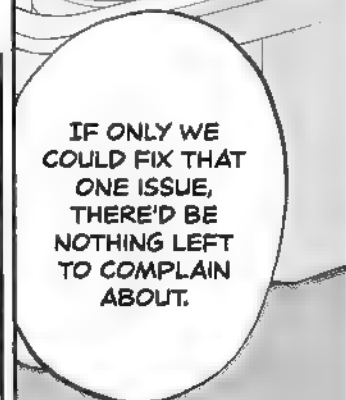


YEAH, YEAH...  
AND ALSO...



JUST  
LOOKING  
AT THEM  
MAKES  
ME DE-  
PRESSED...

THEY'RE  
ALL SO  
GLOOMY,  
AND...



IF ONLY WE  
COULD FIX THAT  
ONE ISSUE,  
THERE'D BE  
NOTHING LEFT  
TO COMPLAIN  
ABOUT.





AND LIKE,  
THERE'S  
THESE ODD  
RUMORS...

AND THAT LINE  
OF CARS... IT'S  
SERIOUSLY  
CREEPY...

EVEN IF YOU  
CALL OUT TO  
THEM IN A  
FRIENDLY WAY  
OUT OF  
CONSIDERATION,  
THEY WON'T  
EVEN GREET  
YOU BACK.

IT'S NOT  
LIKE THEY'RE  
UNABLE TO  
SPEAK.

EVEN THOUGH  
WE CARE SO  
MUCH ABOUT  
PRESERVING  
THE LOCAL  
SCENERY.

TAKING LOVELY  
TRADITIONAL  
OLD HOUSES,  
AND FORCIBLY  
SLAPPING  
WESTERN-  
STYLE ONES  
ON TOP OF  
THEM...

HAVE YOU  
SEEN THE  
HOUSES IN  
YAGOUCHI?

THE HELL'S  
UP WITH  
THEM?

THEY'RE EVEN  
HARASSING US.

DON'T  
THINK SO.

ARE THEY EVER  
GOING TO FIT INTO  
THE VILLAGE?

BUT THOSE GUYS ARE  
TRYING TO TAKE OVER  
HINAMIZAWA OR  
SOMETHING, AREN'T  
THEY?

I DUNNO IF  
THEY'RE A  
SHELTER FOR  
DOMESTIC  
VIOLENCE  
VICTIMS, OR  
A CHURCH, OR  
WHATEVER.

THEY'RE  
SPITEFUL  
AND  
UNTRUST-  
WORTHY.

IT HAPPENED  
AGAIN HUH?

RIGHT... A  
SECOND  
INCIDENT...





BUT IF WE DID, THEY THREATENED THAT ALL OF POLARIS WOULD JOIN THE TOWN COUNCIL, SO THE PLAN GOT DEADLOCKED, RIGHT...?

RIGHT, BEFORE THOSE PEOPLE MOVED IN, THE HINAMIZAWA GUARDIANS HAD REFORMED AND WERE IN TALKS OF HOLDING DEMONSTRATIONS.



MA-YOR KIMI-YO-SHI.

THOSE PEOPLE HAVE NO RESPECT FOR THEIR ELDERS.



OYASHIRO-SAMA MUST BE FURIOUS THAT WE HAVEN'T KICKED THEM OUT.

THEY DON'T RESPECT THE PEOPLE WHO PROTECTED THIS VILLAGE AND PAVED A FUTURE FOR IT.



INDEED.

KISAKU-SAN.

WE SHOULD NEVER HAVE LET THOSE SHADY PEOPLE INTO THIS VILLAGE IN THE FIRST PLACE.



I COULD NEVER IMAGINE THIS HAPPENING BACK WHEN ORYOU-SAN WAS STILL AROUND!

THE SONOZAKI FAMILY, WHO DECIDED TO LET THEM MOVE INTO THE VILLAGE, WON'T LIFT A FINGER EVEN IF TROUBLE HAPPENS.

RIKA-CHAMA HAS OPTED NOT TO SETTLE IN THE VILLAGE, AND THE FURUDE FAMILY IS PRACTICALLY EXTINCT.





THOSE FUCKERS  
PLAY DUMB,  
BUT THERE'S  
ALREADY BEEN  
SO MANY  
INCIDENTS.

EVEN  
NOW,  
IT'S  
NOT  
TOO  
LATE.  
WE NEED  
TO  
REFORM  
THE  
GUARDIANS.



THIS IS THE  
DAM WAR  
ALL OVER  
AGAIN.

DON'T YOU  
THINK SO?



ORIGINALLY,  
THE KIMIYOSHIS  
WERE THE  
LEADERS OF  
THE THREE  
FAMILIES.

YEAH

RIGHT

YEAH

WE CAN'T  
RELY ON THE  
FURUDE AND  
SONOZAKI  
FAMILIES.

AN ENEMY  
OF ONE OF  
US IS AN  
ENEMY OF  
ALL OF US.



QUIET,  
QUIET!



WE ABSOLUTELY  
MUST AVOID  
ISSUES IF WE'RE  
GOING TO AIM  
TO BE WORLD  
HERITAGE SITE.

YOU'RE  
SPEAKING  
NONSENSE,  
KISAKU.



AND THIS  
TIME, THE  
KIMIYOSHI  
FAMILY  
WILL LEAD  
THE WAY!

LET US  
UNITE, AND  
PURGE  
POLARIS  
FROM THIS  
VILLAGE!

Yeah...



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